

was one of a number made by the firm to be sent out from England to Calcutta, as presents to the native Indian Princes. It is set with a number of small diamonds and is certainly a triumph of the watchmaker's art.

C. H. Hubbard, of Toronto, showed a fine assortment of gold and tin foil, with other material for dentists' purposes. Alongside of this was a display of brasswork, steam gauges, steam whistles etc., shown by David S. Keith, of Toronto. Further on were fountains exhibited by H. T. Smith, of Toronto.

Next came a collection of mathematical, philosophical and surveying instruments, shown by Charles Potter, optician, Toronto and Hearn & Co., of Montreal. On the same stand was a large collection of china and earthenware, beautifully decorated in colors. The work of decorating was done at the establishment of Messrs. Hurd, Leigh & Co., of Toronto.

We come now to one of the most beautiful displays in the lower portion of the main building—the furniture. And first of all appear the drawing room and chamber sets shown by Messrs. Jacques & Hay, of Toronto, all in walnut, and most beautifully polished and carved. The upholstered work too in green rept, is of the very best class. In the drawing-room set we noticed a centre table, the top of which was beautifully inlaid with several kinds of wood. Besides the sets shown by this firm, there was a sideboard made of mottled walnut, and ornamented with beautiful carvings. On one of the panels of the door is a carving representing Cupid taking aim with his bow and arrow, and on the other he is represented as engaged in angling. On each side of the large mirror is carved representation of a vase, filled with fruit, and on the longitudinal panel immediately below the mirror are two scenes, one water and the other landscape, both carved in relief. On the arch surmounting the mirror is carved a life-like figure of Quæntin Durdward, and on each side of him is a representation of Cupid pouring out the contents of a cornucopia. This lot taken together is one of the best ever exhibited at any of our Provincial Fairs. Beside these were a parlor and bedroom set, shown by the Bowmanville Manufacturing Company. They are made of unvarnished walnut, elegantly carved and upholstered in Coltine silk. This is really a rich collection, and reflects great credit on the makers.

W. H. Rice, of the Toronto Wire Works, showed a good assortment of wire cloth and wire work of various kinds. J. Hindley, of Toronto, showed a self adjusting vice for holding bevels, etc. W. Peacock, of Montreal, had on view a splendid assortment of cricketer bats. Indian clubs, base ball bats, bells, rings, and other implements used in field sports and gymnasium. They are of various kinds of wood, and highly finished. The Montreal Rolling Mills Co. exhibited a large assortment of shot from their lead works. W. Milneham, Toronto, exhibited quite a number of show cases of different patterns, with silver plated frames. He is the only person in Canada who manufactures bent glass cases. N. L. Piper & Son, Toronto, had a large display of japanned goods. The Montreal White Lead Works were presented by full samples of paints and putty. Brownson & Paton, of Toronto, showed a quantity of the same articles. R. Lewis, of London, showed several handsome specimens of stained glass. We noticed one window in

particular in which was a very handsome representation of St. Peter.

Hugh Miller, of Toronto, exhibited a variety of chemical preparations, among them a burning fluid intended as a substitute for the old fluid in use a number of years ago. It is a fluid which is perfectly safe gives a beautiful light, and can be sold for 90c per gallon, while the old kind now costs about \$2.50. He also exhibited a splendid preparation of glycerine for chapped and sore hands, also a superior article of sheep tick destroyer, well worthy the notice of farmers.

J. Scales, of the Toronto Tobacco Works, exhibited a large assortment of Canadian manufactured tobaccos, in several different varieties. The leaf is grown in the United States, but is manufactured in Toronto. A. Harthill & Co., of Toronto, had also a large assortment in this line.

Malcolm Morrison, of Toronto, exhibited a quantity of Quinine ale, manufactured by himself. This ale is said to be a universal tonic for nervous weakness, lassitude and general debility. The Edwardsburg Starch Company exhibited a large assortment of their manufactures in the starch line—a superior article. The Grimsby Fruit Canning Co. had a large display of canned fruits.

T. W. Filer showed Judd & Co.'s improved vegetable union yeast, manufactured at Detroit Mich. Edward Lawson, of Toronto, showed a handsome assortment of confectionery, cakes, and biscuits.

In harness there was but a poor display made. The principle exhibitors were T. Staunton, of Toronto, Philip Young, of New Hamburg, and Gardner & McKee, of Brantford. H. A. King, of Hamilton, showed a fine assortment of whips.

In Canadian manufactured woollen goods there was a fair display.

The Cornwall manufacturing Co., showed a lot of their famous blankets, equal to any of foreign manufacture. D. Clark, of Kingston, showed a lot of flannels and blankets. Messrs. Barber Bros., of the Streetsville Woollen Mills, showed a splendid lot of Canadian Tweeds. Gault Bros., of Montreal, showed a capital assortment of Canadian Tweeds made at the Sherbrooke Woollen Mills. These tweeds are among the best made in Canada, and while being equal in finish to any English goods, are much superior to them in durability. In flannels there was also a good display by Willett, of Chambly, and Lomas, of Sherbrooke. W. J. Ratser & Co., of Amherst, showed a good assortment of woollen yarns.

R. W. Cowan Montreal, had a large assortment of ladies and gents' furs; also robes. This was the only lot of furs on exhibition.

Armstrong, McCrea & Co., of Guelph, showed a large assortment of woollen yarns and ladies and gents' woollen underclothing. There are good displays in Canadian carpets but we could not ascertain the names of the exhibitors. Charles Boeckh, showed a splendid assortment of brushes, every kind of brush in use being found in his department and manufactured by himself. H. Ferdinand, of Waterloo, showed a splendid assortment of sleigh robes, buck, kid and fur mitts and gloves; also, dressed skins. John C. McLaren of Montreal, showed a quantity of leather hose, belting and a general assortment of harness, shoes and sole leather. James Wilson of Mitchell, Peter King of Fergus, Whally